

**Federal Communications Commission  
Study Area Boundary Recertification**

I hereby certify that the study area boundary data last submitted to the Federal Communications Commission in 2013 or 2014 is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Company Name: Bretton Woods Telephone Company, Inc.

Study Area Codes(s): 120038

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06/03/2015

Signature

Date

See attached e-mail from Chelsea Fallon @ FCC dated 5/21/15 stating that Bretton Woods Telephone Company, Inc. did not need to recertify because the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission was recertifying on behalf of the ILECs. Also see e-mail dated 6/3/2015 stating that we must now manually recertify which contradicts the 5/21/15 e-mail.

**From:** Karen Wante (BWTC) [mailto:kwante@bwtc.net]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2015 9:21 AM  
**To:** chelsea.fallon@fcc.gov; 'john.emmett@fcc.gov'  
**Subject:** FW: Study Area Boundary Recertification

Chelsea:

I'm concerned now that I have 2 different answers from you regarding whether or not Bretton Woods Telephone Company, Inc. needs to recertify or not.

Your answer on May 21<sup>st</sup> was that we do not need to do anything because the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission is taking care of the recertifications.

Then today, you state that we need to manually certify (and now we've missed the deadline of May 26<sup>th</sup>).

I will follow your instructions today and manually recertify and follow-up with an upload to the ECFS today also.

**From:** Chelsea Fallon [mailto:Chelsea.Fallon@fcc.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 21, 2015 11:40 AM  
**To:** 'Karen Wante (BWTC)'  
**Subject:** RE: Study Area Boundary Recertification

There's nothing else for you to do since the NH PUC is taking care of the boundary recertifications for the NH ILECs. Thank you.

- Chelsea

**From:** Karen Wante (BWTC) [mailto:kwante@bwtc.net]  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 21, 2015 11:08 AM  
**To:** Chelsea Fallon  
**Subject:** FW: Study Area Boundary Recertification

Hi Chelsea:

I'm still waiting for an answer about whether or not Bretton Woods Telephone Co. needs to do anything further prior to the 5/26/15 deadline.

I also left you a voice mail message yesterday.

As an added piece of information, BWTC did not receive the 5/1/15 e-mail from you, the State of NH Public Utilities Commission filed the maps on behalf of the telephone companies within the state as each boundary dispute was handled prior to sending the maps to the FCC, and there's been no modifications to our maps since then.

So, I'm wondering if that's why Bretton Woods Telephone did not receive the 5/1 e-mail from you and also why I cannot access any recertify buttons from your highlighted link below ([Study Area Boundary Data Collection interface](#)).

Would you please let me know ASAP.

Thank you,

Karen Wante

**From:** Chelsea Fallon [<mailto:Chelsea.Fallon@fcc.gov>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2015 7:55 AM

**To:** 'Karen Wante (BWTC)'

**Subject:** RE: Study Area Boundary Recertification

Karen,

Since the recertify button isn't appearing for you, please email us a manual certification as described in the attached email. Thank you.

- Chelsea

**From:** Karen Wante (BWTC) [<mailto:kwante@bwtc.net>]

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 20, 2015 12:47 PM

**To:** Chelsea Fallon

**Subject:** FW: Study Area Boundary Recertification

Chelsea,

I'm looking for confirmation that Bretton Woods Telephone Company, Inc. (FRN: 0004-9634-19) does not need to recertify prior to 5/26/15.

I did not receive the 5/1/15 e-mail below from you (a sister company received this e-mail).

I went into the website and couldn't find the "uncertify" or "recertify" buttons for our company (see screen shot below).

Please let me know if we need to recertify prior to 5/26/15.

Thank you,

Karen Wante

Bretton Woods Telephone Company, Inc.



## Study Area Boundary Data Collection

### ILEC Uploaded Files with Study Area Boundary Data


Bretton Woods Tel.Co., Inc. [0004963419]

Click the **Update File Status** button to view the latest status of the submitted zip file(s). Once the zip file(s) has/have been listed under the **Shapefiles** section below.

You may click on the **Map** button to view the polygon prior to certifying the shapefile or click on the **Certify** button to certify the shapefile.

Please select the study area codes (SACs) that you wish to upload from the list below before uploading files.

If you accidentally select an erroneous SAC ID, you will be able to deselect it once you have clicked on the **Save Selection** button.

 Upload Files

#### SACs

Select State:

Select...



#### Selected SACs

SAC ID	SAC Name	SAC Type	Year
120038	BRETTON WOODS TEL CO	Rate of return	

Click the **Update File Status** button to view the latest status of the submitted zip file(s). Once the zip file(s) has/have been listed under the **Shapefiles** section below.

#### Zip Files

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#### Shape Files

Shape File	Zip File Name	Date Uploaded	Year
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**From:** [Chelsea Fallon](#)

**Sent:** Friday, May 01, 2015 11:12 AM

**To:** [Chelsea Fallon](#)

**Cc:** [John Emmett](#)

**Subject:** Study Area Boundary Recertification

Dear Study Area Boundary Filer,

As the FCC's Wireline Competition Bureau [announced](#) on March 12, 2015, the deadline for ILECs to recertify their study area boundary data is May 26, 2015. The [Study Area Boundary Data Collection Interface](#) has been upgraded to allow filers to recertify boundaries submitted in 2013 or 2014. Filers that certified a boundary for a particular study area code (SAC) during 2015 do not need to recertify the boundary for that SAC; in fact, the interface does not allow users to recertify SACs for which a boundary was certified during 2015.

To complete the recertification, filers should log into the [Study Area Boundary Data Collection Interface](#) using the same FRN used previously. If necessary, please enter and save any changes to your contact information and then proceed to the Uploaded Files Inventory page. On that page, under "Selected SACs," you should see a "Recertify" button next to any SACs that were certified in a previous year. You can click that button to complete the recertification. If you would like to first view a map of your certified boundary for that SAC, you can do so in the "Shape Files" section of that page by clicking on the "Map" button. If your boundary has changed since you last certified it, please click the "Uncertify" button for that SAC and then upload and certify a new shapefile (you will not need or be able to recertify that SAC). Detailed instructions for recertifying are attached.

Please note that the [online map of submitted study area boundary data](#) does not reflect study area boundary changes submitted in 2015. That map will be updated at a later date.

In addition, rate-of-return carriers seeking to make changes to their study area boundary data for purposes of the Alternative Connect America Cost Model (A-CAM) should submit those changes to the A-CAM Support desk by May 11, 2015, as directed by the [April 10 Public Notice](#) (DA 15-429).

Additional information on the study area boundary data collection can be found at <http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/study-area-boundary-data-collection>. If you have any questions about recertification, please contact John Emmett at [john.emmett@fcc.gov](mailto:john.emmett@fcc.gov) or 202-418-0386, or myself at [chelsea.fallon@fcc.gov](mailto:chelsea.fallon@fcc.gov) or 202-418-7991. Questions related to A-CAM should be directed to Katie King at [katie.king@fcc.gov](mailto:katie.king@fcc.gov) or 202-418-7491.

Best,

- Chelsea

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